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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**ANDREAS WINTER ET AL.**

**SERIAL NO: 08/120,105**

**: ART UNIT: 1713**

**FILED: SEPTEMBER 10, 1993**

**: EXAMINER: S. SECCURO, JR.**

**FOR: POLYOLEFIN MOLDING COMPOSITION :  
HAVING A BROAD MELTING RANGE,  
PROCESS FOR ITS PREPARATION, AND ITS :  
USE**

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In response to the Board's Decision mailed November 30, 1999, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

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**In the claims:**

17. A process for the preparation of a polyolefin molding composition comprising at least two polyolefinic components, wherein the composition is characterized by a broad, bimodal or multimodal melting range in the DSC spectrum (heating/cooling rate 20° C/min), wherein the melting point of the lower melting component is lower than any melting point of the composition, the melting range maximum is between 120 and 165°C, the half-intensity width of the melting peak is broader than 10°C and

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